

***RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2875***

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated July 31, 2006, of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 4-7, 9 and 10.

Please charge the fee of \$500.00 to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

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Respectfully submitted,

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